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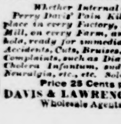

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1. By making entry and within six months thereafter erecting a habitable house and commencing actual residence upon the land, and continuing to reside upon it for at least six months in each year for three years, and doing reasonable cultivation during that period.

5. By making entry for the land, cultivating it for three years, so that at the end of that period not less than forty acres be under cultivation ; residing for at least six months in each year during that time within a radius of two miles of the homestead, and erecting a house and residing in it upon the homestead for three months next preceding the application for patent.

3. By making entry and within six months from the date thereof commencing the cultivation of the homestead, breaking and preparing for crop within the first year not less than five acres ; cropping the said five acres, and breaking and preparing for crop not less than ten acres in addition, and erecting a habitable house before the expiration of the second year, and thereafter residing thereon at least six months in each year and cultivating the land for three years next prior to the date of application for patent.

The only charge for a homestead of 160 acres is the entrance fee of ten dollars, in the case of forfeited pre-emption an additional fee of five dollars, and in case of cancelled homesteads an additional inspection fee of ten dollars. Settlers have the right to pre-empt the adjoining quarter-section of 160 acres, if available, and within six months of the completion of homestead duties may purchase the pre-emption at the price of government lands at the time of making the entry. On failure to complete such purchase, the pre-emption may be opened for settlement on conditions stated in the 36th section of the Dominion Lands Act.

For further information the clauses of the Dominion Lands Act relating to homesteading are hereto appended.

32. Every person who is the sole head of a family, and every male who has attained the age of eighteen years, who makes application in the form "A" in the schedule to this Act, shall be entitled to obtain homestead entry for any quantity of land not exceeding one quarter section which is of the class of land open, under the provisions of this Act, to homestead entry ; and such person shall at the same time as he obtains his entry declare under which of the conditions prescribed by clause 38 of this Act he elects to hold the land affected by such entry.

2. Such person may also, in connection with such homestead entry, obtain at the same time but not at a later date, a pre-emption entry for an adjoining unoccupied quarter section, or part of a quarter section of land of the same class.

3. The entry for a homestead and for its attached pre-emption, if any, shall entitle the recipient to take, occupy and cultivate the land entered for, and to hold possession of the same to the exclusion of any other person or persons whomsoever, and to bring and maintain actions for trespass committed on said lands ; the title to the land shall remain in the crown until the issue of the patent therefor, and the land shall not be liable to be taken in execution before the issue of the patent.

4. The privilege of homestead and pre-emption entry shall only apply to surveyed agricultural lands ; no person shall be entitled to such for land valuable for its timber, or for hay land, or for land on which there is a stone or marble quarry, or coal or other mineral having commercial value, or whereon there is any water power which may serve to drive machinery, or for lands which, by reason of its position, such as its being the shore of an important harbor, bridge site or canal site, or being either an actual or prospective railway terminus or station, it is in the public interest to withhold from such entry. 46 V., c. 17, s. 27.

35. Every person applying for homestead entry shall appear and make affidavit before the local agent, or, in his absence, the senior clerk performing his duties, according to the form B C or D in the schedule to this Act, as the circumstances of the case require ; and upon filing such application with such local agent, or senior clerk, and on payment to him of an office fee of ten dollars, such persons shall receive a receipt from the local agent, or senior clerk, according to the form E, in the schedule to this Act ; and such receipt shall be a certificate of entry, and shall be authority to the person obtaining it to take possession of the land described in it.

2. If a person who obtains homestead entry applies for and obtains at the same time a pre-emption entry, he shall pay to the local agent or senior clerk a further fee of ten dollars, and shall receive therefor from him a receipt in like form, and having like effect to that prescribed for the homestead entry.

3. The Minister of the Interior or the Dominion Lands Board, upon requisition, may authorize any person named therein to make a homestead entry, or homestead and pre-emption entries, on behalf of any person signing such requisition, and desiring to obtain such entry or entries.

4. The person so authorized shall, in order to obtain such entry or entries, make application in the form F, in the schedule to this Act, on behalf of each of those whom he represents, and shall make an affidavit before the local agent or in his absence the senior clerk performing his duties, according to the form G, H or J, in the schedule to this Act, as the circumstances of the case require ; and shall pay for each homestead entry, and for each pre-emption entry, the office fee of ten dollars hereinbefore prescribed for such entry. 49 V., c. 27, s. 4.

36. Every person who has obtained homestead entry shall be allowed a period of six months from its date within which to perfect the entry, by taking, in his own person, possession of the land, and beginning continuous residence thereon and cultivation thereof ; and if the entry is not perfected within that period it shall be void, and the land shall be open to entry by another person, or to other disposition under this Act by the Minister.

2. Provided, that every person who obtains entry on or after the first of September in any year, and whose term for perfecting the same expires before the first day of July following, shall be allowed an extension of time to the latter date within which time to perfect his entry.

3. Provided further, that in case of immigrants from elsewhere than the North American continent, the Governor-in-Council may extend the time for the perfecting of entry to twelve months from the date thereof. 46 V., c. 17, s. 31.

37. If a number of homestead settlers, embracing at least twenty families, with a view to greater convenience in the establishment of schools and churches, and to the attainment of social advantage of like character, ask to be allowed to settle together in a hamlet or village, the Minister may, in his discretion, vary or dispense with the foregoing requirements as to residence, but not as to the cultivation of each separate quarter-section entered as a homestead. 46 V., c. 17, s. 32.

38. At the expiration of three years from the date of his perfecting his homestead entry, the settler, or, in case of his death, his legal representatives, upon proving to the satisfaction of the local agent, or, in his absence, the senior clerk performing his duties, that he or they, or some of them, have resided upon and cultivated the land during the said term of three years, shall be entitled to a patent for the land, if such proof is accepted by the Commissioner of Dominion Lands, or the land board ; but the patent therefor shall not issue to any person who is not a subject of Her Majesty by birth or naturalization.

2. In the case of a settler who obtains homestead entry for land occupied by him previous to the survey thereof, in the manner hereinbefore mentioned, residence upon and cultivation of the land for three years next preceding the application for patent shall, for the purpose of the issue of the patent, be held equivelant to that prescribed in the foregoing sub-clause, if such residence and cultivation are otherwise in conformity with the provisions of this Act.

3. Every person who proves that he has resided on the land for which he has homestead entry from twelve months from the date of his perfecting his entry therefor, and that he has brought under cultivation at least thirty acres thereof, may, before the expiration of the three years defined in sub-clause one of this clause, obtain a patent by giving the government price at the time for the land :

4. Proof of residence, erection of a habitable house and cultivation, required by this clause, shall be made by the claimant by affidavit, and shall be corroborated by the evidence on oath of two disinterested witnesses, resident in the vicinity of the land to which their evidence relates, and shall be subject to acceptance as sufficient by the Commissioner of Dominion lands, or the land board ; and such affidavit shall be sworn, and such evidence given, before the local agent, or in his absence, the senior clerk performing his duties, or some other person named for that purpose by the Minister :

5. If in connection with the homestead entry the settler has heretofore obtained, or thereafter obtains, a pre-emption entry in accordance with the provisions of this Act, he shall, on becoming entitled to a patent for his homestead, be also entitled to a patent for the land included in such pre-emption entry, on payment of the price fixed, in accordance with the provisions of this Act, by the Governor-in-Council ; but such pre-emption right, if not exercised and payment made within six months after the settler becomes entitled to claim a patent under his homestead entry, shall be forfeited ; and the land included in such pre-emption entry may be opened for homestead entry by the Minister of the Interior, but on the following conditions only :—

"(a) Any person obtaining a homestead entry for the land included in such forfeited pre-emption entry shall be required to perfect his entry by erecting a habitable house thereon, and commencing actual residence in said house within six months of the date of such homestead entry, and shall be required to continue such residence for an least six months in each of the three years next succeeding :

"(b) Before an application for patent for such homestead shall be accepted as satisfactory by the local agent, or the senior clerk performing his duties, the applicant shall be required to prove to the satisfaction of the said local agent, or the senior clerk performing his duties, that he has made permanent improvements on the said land to the aggregate value of not less than one dollar and fifty cents per acre."

6. In addition to the cases hereinbefore mentioned, any person claiming a patent under a homestead entry, or under a homestead and pre-emption entry, shall be entitled thereto upon proving :—

(a) That he has erected upon his homestead a habitable house, and has bona fide resided therein for not not less than three months next prior to the date of his application for his patent ;

(b) That for the period between the time within which, by clause thirty-six of this act, it is provided that a person who has obtained a homestead entry shall perfect his entry, and the commencement of his said three months' residence upon his homestead, he has been a bona fide resident within a radius of two miles from his homestead quarter section ;

(c) That within the first year after the date of his homestead entry he broke and prepared for crop not less than ten acres of his homestead quarter section :

(d) That within the second year he cropped the said ten acres and broke and prepared for crop not less than fifteen acres in addition, making not less than twenty-five acres;

(e) That within the third year after the date of his homestead entry he croped the said twenty five acres, and broke and prepared for crop not less than fifteen acres in addition, making in all not less than twenty-five acres of the said homestead cropped, and fifteen acres in addition broken and prepared for crop, within three years of the date of perfecting his homestead entry ;

And the residents described in this sub-clause shall be sufficiently fulfilled if the applicant has not been absent from his residence for more than six months in any one year:

7. Any person claiming a patent under a homestead entry, or under a homestead and pre-emption entry, shall also be entitled thereto upon proving to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Dominion Lands, or the Dominion Lands Board :—

(a) That he perfected his homestead entry by commencing the cultivation of the homestead within six months from the date of his homestead entry, or if the entry was obtained on or after the first day of September in any year, before the first of June following ;

(b) That within the first year after the date of his homestead entry he broke and prepared for crop not less than five acres of his homestead quarter section :

(c) That within the second year he cropped the said five acres, and broke and prepared for crop not less than ten acres in addition, making not less than fifteen acres in all ;

(d) That he erected a habitable house upon his homestead before the expiration of the second year after his homestead entry, and has bona fide resided therein and has cultivated the land for three years next prior to the date of his application for his patent;

(e) That at the commencement of the third year after the date of his homestead entry, or previously, he commenced the residence on his homestead required by the next preceding paragraph of this sub-clause ;

Every person who has obtained a homestead entry and who purposes to apply for a patent for such homestead, shall give six months' notice in writing to the Commissioner of Dominion lands of his intention to make such application, and shall produce evidence to the officer who is authorized to receive the application, that such notice has been duly given. 46 V., c. 17, s. 33;—47 V., c. 25, ss. 2 and 3;—49 V., c. 27, ss. 5 and 6.

39. If it be proved to the satisfaction of the Minister :—

(a) That the settler has not resided upon and cultivated his homestead, except as herein provided, for at least six months in any one year, or—

(b) In case he has obtained his entry under and in accordance with sub-clause five of the next preceding clause, that he has not been a bona fide resident within a radius of two miles from his homestead quarter-section for at least six months in any one year, or has failed to break, prepare for crop, and crop, in each of the three years after obtaining his homestead entry, the areas of his homestead quarter-section, mentioned in the said sub-clause, or has failed to erect upon his homestead a habitable house, and is bona fide resided therein for not less than three months next prior to the date of his application for patent, or—

(d) In case he has obtained his entry under and in accordance with sub-clause seven of the next preceding clause, that he has failed to perfect his homestead entry and make the cultivation of his homestead during the first and second years after the date of his entry prescribed by the said sub-clause, or that he has failed to erect a habitable house upon his homestead before the expiration of the second year after the date of his homestead entry, or that he has not bona fide resided in the said house, and cultivated the said lands for at least six months in each of the three years next prior to the date of his application for his patent :

"The right to the land shall be forfeited, and the entry thereof shall be cancelled, and the settler so forfeiting his entry shall not be eligible to obtain another entry, except in special cases, in the discretion of the Minister.

40. In cases of illness, vouched for by sufficient evidence, or in the cases of immigrant settlers returning to their native land to bring out their families to their homesteads, or in other special cases the Minister may, in his discretion grant an extension of time during which such settler may be absent from his homestead, without prejudice to his right therein ; but the time so granted shall not be reckoned as residence. 46 V., c. 17, s. 34, part.

Flour in London.

Meanwhile the flour trade is even duller than the wheat trade, in London. Large shipements from the Atlantic ports last week (833,000 bags), and offers for forward shipment at prices considerably below the parity of wheat value, make our millers wonder how on earth the American millers can afford to continue making flour at such prices. This week, for instance, Pillsbury straights are worth only 22s, ex-ship in London. "Iron Dukes" sold as low as 22s 3d landed, and Sterlings at 23s 6d per 280lb. These are the three leading bakers' flours, and the value of other brands can be judged therefrom. The impression is that Minneapolis millers control all the wheat supply in the Northwest, and are thus able to get it at almost any price. This feeling has prompted many of our leading millers to support the Scandinavian Elevator Co.'s scheme, which is ostensibly to supply pure hard wheat at its proper price all the year round to British millers, by concentrating supplies of the same during the autumn at Buffalo, whence it can be shipped to the United Kingdom during the winter months, instead of being cut off by being stored at Minneapolis and Duluth. The company's agents, are now busy canvassing for signatures to a circular letter which expresses approval of the object, and which they will embody in their forthcoming prospectus, which is to attract our millers and merchants to take up about half the stock ($2,000,000) of the company. So far most of the leading millers have signed this document, but it remains to be seen, whether they will be equally ready to take up the stock. London Correspondent, Minneapolis Northwestern Miller.

The Oil Wells of Canada.

The oil producing Territory of Canada, now being worked is of a limited area. It lies in Lampton county Ont. The largest number of wells is in the vicinity of Petrolia, where the refineries are situated. The Territory is divided into two districts, Petrolea and Oil Springs. Of these the Petrolea field is the largest producing annually 350,000 to 450,000 barrels of crude oil. The Oil Springs district output is 150,000 to 200,000 barrels yearly. The paying wells are confined to a belt of land two miles wide and 16 miles long situated about 16 miles east of Port Sarnia. There are nine refineries at Petrolea, producing 250,000 barrels of refined oil annually. The oil industry in the Petrolea district employs 3,000 men and a population of 8,000 is dependent upon it. The capital invested in the business is $2,750,000 of which the cost of the wells is $1,500,000 and the cost of the refineries is $500,000. There is in the district a pipe line 60 miles in length, costing with its machinery $150,000. Economy in cost of drilling the wells and refining the oil is imperitively necessary in the Canadian industry owing to American competition from which a duty of 7 1-5c a gallon does not protect. As it is, about 200,000 barrels of American oil are used annually in Canada retailing at 30 35c a gallon against 15 to 20c for the Canadian product. Canadian wells are small the majority producing 3 to 10 barrels daily. There are 3,200 wells in the oil territory, and the total value of the production in 1887 is placed at $2,000,000.—Exchange

A Rare Printer.

A western paper contains the following advertisment : "Wants a situation, a practical printer, who is competent to take charge of any department in a printing and publishing house. Would accept a professorship in any of the academies. Has no objection to teach ornamental painting and penmanship, geometry, trigonometry and many other sciences. Is particularly suited to act as pastor to a small Evangelical church, or as a local preacher. He would have no objection to form a small but select class of interesting young ladies, to instruct in the highest branches. To a dentist or chiropodist he would be invaluable, as he can do almost anything. Would board with a family, if decidedly pious."

THE FISHERIES QUESTION.

is an important one but the question of paramount importance to-day is "what shall we use for catarrh?" Mr. John McSwain Model School teacher, Charlottetown P.E.I. says:—I enclose you fifty cents for which please send me a package of Nasal balm. The package I received some time ago has done me a great deal of good so much that I think it will cure me.

Just arrived! One large case of fans, from 5 cts. to $1.50. Every tenth fan sold will be given free at The Mail Bookstore.

Keep the flies out! Green window blind paper, one yard wide, only 15 cents per yard at The Mail Bookstore.

Brandon Weekly Mail.

THURSDAY, JULY 19, 1888.

GRIT PURITY

A circumstance has just come to the light in connection with the recent election in Brandon city which is a good specimen of "Grit Purity." A prominent supporter of Mr. Smart stated publicly that while walking a few days before the election behind a supporter of Mr. Cliffe he noticed a paper drop from the pocket of Mr. Cliffe's supporter. This pure Grit at once picked it up and found it to be a marked list of the rididg of Bran'on city and from it he said he learned what voters Mr Cliffe was depending on. Did he then as a commonly honest man would do hand it back at once to the party he saw lose it? Not he. He says it was of too much use to him to do that, and no doubt he was correct. What is the difference between keeping and reading this found list and seeing a man drop a letter and at once picking it up and reading it? We would inform this person for his future guidance that his act constituted larceny pure and simple and the name appropriate to him is that of a comman thief. These are facts and if this non partizan purest supporters of Mr. Smart desires to hear more of this, let him publish the facts over his own name or call on us. The evidence of his own statements and admissions is all that is necessary to secuae a committal for larceny or common thieving and yet no special effort was made by Mr. Smart to carry the election.

GRIT BOASTING.

In an editorial in the Brandon Sun published on July 12th the people are informed that Mr. Smart and his friends "made no special efforts" to carry the riding of Brandon city. This coming after the preceding statements in the same article enumerating thegreat efforts the Conservative party put forward to carry their candidate successfully is too ridiculous. Not satisfied with a sweeping victory all over the Province, they must be true to their instincts at once, vilify their opponents because their victory was not more complete. They are nothing if not hoggish. With their victory at their back they cannot gracefully let even the Revising Barrister alone but again drag him forth and accuse him of being a Partizan. No one we think who is acquainted with the facts will accuse His Honor Judge Walker of partizanship in his recent revison of the lists, a more impartial and fair revision could not have been held. However for the benefit of the Electors we will refer to one or two cases which occurred on the 11th which certainly adorn the banners of the Grit party such efforts to win were put forth by Mr. Smart's friends as the foll0wing. In a certain ward in the city two old men were brought up to vote who were so blind from age that they had to be led into the polling room and have their ballots marked for them by the Deputy returning officer. A third gentlemen passed So we should say, was dragged out of bed and driven to the poll in such a feeble and sick condition that any one having a regard for his health and years would have left at home. A hospital was what any one would have prescribed for these three men at a glance Yet Mr. Smart and his friends "made no special effort to carry the election." We could easily let such "episodes" as these pass if our opponents were only moderate in their success and would refrain from hitting their opponent when they are down.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

The Winnipeg Sun says:—"The purchase of the Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic road by the Canadian Pacific is a sad blow to the aspiration of the Grand Trunk in the Northwest as its proposed connection westward from the "Soo" is cut off. The purchase is of interest to Manitobans, as it prolongs the time when we may expect the Grand Trunk to be operating effectively in this country."

Then is not the contention of Cliffe, Daly and Company of some importance after all, when they declare it is the height of folly to spend money on "competing" roads in Manitoba until eastern connection are fully secured.

That senseless chatter box the Winnipeg Sun still harps away upon "the manly stand" taken by its so called "independent Conservatives," and endeavors to belittle the standing of Cliffe, Daly and Co. Will the organ once for all look up the facts and remember one thing that Cliffe one of the alleged leaders of monopoly compromises &c &c was the only Conservative candidatein the field who pulled down a Grit majority against what the Grit party consider their most propular Cabanet Minister, while the Brocks, the Hespelers, the Robinsons and the candidates such "Independent Conservatives" supported were literally snowed under. If the Grit paint will only look at the circumstances in the connection it will find sufficient to convince even a half brained chatter box the facts are altogether against it. Sensible men will look at facts while fools are satisfied with fancies.

We did Mr. D.M. McMillan returning officer in ward 2 an injustice in our last issue, we deem it a duty to recall as we desire to do no one a wrong in politics any more than in business. When Mr. H. R. Cameron informed us that he had a bet of $40 that Mr. Smart would not have a majority of 15 in ward 2, and when he found much fault with Mr. McMillan's count of the ballots, we concluded without further inquiry he had the bet with Mr. McMillan and that was the reason the latter counted ballots declared bad by the Act. We find however Mr. McMillan had no bet and was not interested in one, and that his reason for counting as he did was because of the general results of the election. Mr. Cameron's principal objection to Mr. McMillan's actions was because the letter would not say before the ballot box was opened just what ballotshe would count and what he would reject he refused to give any ruling until he saw the ballots and then he counted two marked on the left of the name which the act says should ba rejected and which were rejected at the other polls thus giving Mr. Smart exactly 15 majority at that poll and causing Mr. Cameron to lose his bet. In justice to all the same count should 'ave been employed at all the polls and that would have reduced Mr. Smart's majority by three or four ballots.

Mr. Greenway says he is going to introduce a measure at the next session of the House, to abolish election enumerators leaving their work to the municipal officials, and which in our light it is most difficult to understand, unless indeed, it be through a mixing of municipal accounts that will lead to "complexity confounded." Take the electoral Division of North Brandon, and it is made up of parts of four municipalities, in no two of which any one muicipality officials have jurisdiction. The clerk and assessor of Elton, for instance, have no jurisdiction over the books of Daly, Cornwallis, or Whitehead and so on of the officials of the other parts of municipalties comprising the Division. It is true that the clerk or the assessor in each municipality might compile a list in his municipality of all entitled to vote, but then it will require some independent official to take the names from each section of municipality comprising the division and compile them into one list for the division, and be he called what he may, he will be an enumerator in capacity. If, however, the only other apparent course open be adopted the cutting up of municipalities and their construction into others with boundaries coterminous with those of the Electoral Divisions, it will lead to a confusion of accounts in the future beyond the power of ordinary mortals to unravel. There are, for instance, no two municipalities in the Province similary in debt for similar improvements. That part of Whitehead that is in North Brandon, may, for instance, be twice as heavily in debenture debt for local improvements as that portion of Daly in the same division may be, and Elton may not be indebted for improvements at all, while the townships of Cornwallis in the Riding may be heavier in debt than any or all of the other sections of the constituency so constituted. Such a municipal levy as would suit the requirements of one section would be insufficient for another, and to make such a taxation as would meet the needs of the heavest in debt would be serious injustice to the rest of the constituency so constituted. But supposing the Government were to come to the rescue, and equalise the burdens by Government grants after the manner of the settlement of the Municipal Loan Fund in Ontario, it would be simply taking the savings of the provident to meet the burdens of the improvident and institute a system of robbery of the finances that we are confident public sentiment would not long endure. If again, however, an adjustment was made after three or four years of trouble and turmoil it would have no permanency, for as the country is young and being populated irregularly in its various sections, a new redistribution of constituencies will have to follow probably before the next elections and tear open the old sore as bad as ever again. We very much fear that Mr. Greenway has followed in the walk of the average Grit, and already made more promises than wiser heads than his will be able to fulfil.

From many points of view very different results could not have been expected in the late elections. That many baseless accusations were laid at the door of the late Government, no one can gainsay; but after the most charitable construction was placed upon its general record by particular friends, it fell far short of what an administration for the province ought to have been under its opportunities. That the leader, Mr. Norquay, is a man of ability in many directions, no one can deny, but in business management and financial capability he is lamentably weak; and instead of making up for his own defects, by keeping men of principle and capacity around him, he ever took the precaution to select for associates a lot incapables, whose only object was plunder. Whenever, in the face of such a state of things, he received advice from any one, to make changes, he took the advice as a threat from an enemy until the crisis came. There is no doubt but that the present Government, unprincipled and selfish as many of its heads and adherents may be, will improve on the past, for worse it cannot be, and this change for the better may be the means of keeping it longer in office than many of its opponents may imagine. In our mind the best course now for the Conservatives to take is to induce Mr. Norquay and the four other Conservative elected to withdraw from the House, and leave the representation of the province in the hands of Grits exclusively. This will lead to divisions in their own ranks, because of the ambitious spirits they contain, and the more readily lead to dissolution. The very appearance of a Conservative opposition will only tend to cement their ranks. Besides, with the opposition as it is, Mr. Norquay must of necessity become the leader; and under his leadership success either near or remote is utterly out of the question. The Grits are aware of this, and for that reason they are utterly opposed to his retirement. By Mr Noruqay's retirement, as we have said, divisions will the more readily spring up in the Grit ranks, their legislation will be the more objectionable; their extravagance will be the more widespread, and the greater will become the substantial objections to their record before another appeal is made to the people. In the interval the Conservatives can be recuperating their forces, looking after the lists and settling on good men to take the leadership. Their better knowledge of the requirements of the country, as experience will suggest, and the established greed of Gritism as exemplified by a practical trial, will offer plenty of material upon which to form a suitable and taking platform before another appeal is made. Of course, the sad mistake was that Conservatives did not some three years ago take the matter into their own hands, and trade off the late Government for better men. Had this been done the present misfortune would not have overtaken them; but as it was not done, a trial of Gritism was the inevitable result, and the Conservatives should now see to it that the trial is made as effectual as possible by leaving the Government for a term exclusively in their own hands, and set to work in a business like and commendable way to prepare for the next opportunity. If it is hoped place can again be secured by revamping the past, no more fatal mistake can be made; the past must be entirely blotted out, and a commencement for the future must be made on an entirely new basis. We offer the suggestion for the good of the country and the welfare of the party merely.

When all the circumstances are taken into account Mr. Smart's success was not such a victory after all. He was a Minister holding an important port folio in the new government which made great promises and created on the ruins of an administration in the worst of bad repute. The current of popular sentiment was strong in his favor and he should have polled to have kept pace with all the other Grit candidates in the province, just three times the majority he did. But what he did get was not obtained either fairly or well. In the first place because of the short time between the publication of the list and the vote for closing the appeals to strike off and put on he Conservatives left over a dozen off the list they have since found should have been on and then left about 15 or 20 Grits on they could have knocked off had they known all the circumstances in time to have filed all the protests they should have filed. Had there been more time at their disposal they could have made the list more favorable to their course than it was by about 25 names. This allowed some 20 bad votes to be polled. In the next place uniformity in the count of the ballots made a difference of three or four more in Mr. Smart's favor while bribery made up the rest of his majority.

Trouble with the Indians.

Victoria, B. C., July 14.—There is great excitement over the reports from Skeena River. The steamer Cariboo Fly arrived this morning. Their officers say when the steamer left Skeena River it was reported there that Mr. Clifford, in charge of the Hudson's Bay Company at Hazelton, and one of the special constables sent from here had been murdered by Indians. The Indians are thoroughly excited and threaten to exterminate all the whites in that part of the country. H B. Royer, of the provincial police, leaves tomorrow forenoon for the scene of the trouble,, with a force of special policemen who are being sworn in this afternoon. H. M. S. Caroline arrived last night and will probably convey this force and "C" Battery to the mouth of the Skeena river. It is to be hoped that help will reach them in time to save their lives.

Six Men Drowned.

Calgary, Alb., July 15.—The most distressing accident that has ever occurred in the Northwest took place on Friday evening at Kananaskis, below the falls of the river at the junction of the Bow, by which six men were killed by drowning and three others narrowly escaped. The men were in the employ of the Eau Claire Lumber company of this place, and were engaged in bringing logs down from the mountains. On Friday morning two jams of logs belonging to the company took place just below the mouth of the Kananaskis, and stuck fast about two hundred yards apart. A boat load of men was despatched in the afternoon to break the jam. The men in descending a small rapid lost control of the boat and meeting with an undertow the craft struck with great force against a rock and capsized throwing the nine men into the water, which at this point is quite deep. Three of the men managed to swim to shore but the other six were drowned. The names of the lost are:—

John McNeill, unmarried, and formerly a resident of Paisley, Ont.
Arm Goodman.
Lanslem Carr, married.
Nils Arneson, a foreigner.
Hans Anderson, married.
William Holman, single, from Nova Scotia.

Parties were sent out to recover the bodies but up to the present, as far as is known here, none have been found. The men drowned are mostly strangers in this part of the country who have been in the employ of the company but a short time. McNeill had a brother in the boat who was saved and has also other relatives here. The Eau Claire Company are using every endeavor to recover the bodies of the drowned men.

PERSONAL MENTION

—Dr. Doering is at Minnedosa to day.

—Misses Lang and Rounerfell leave for Vancouver Tuesday next.

—J.M. Robinson, proprietor of the Times was in the city on Saturday.

—Mrs. Cottingham has gone to spend a few weeks with friends in Carberry.

—Mr. City Clerk Kerr and his good lady were visiting at Rapid City the other day.

—Mr. J. W. Jackson, of the Singer Mfg. Co., returned from a business trip through the territories this week.

—W. L. Barrett, formerly of Brock & Co., left the city this week on a tour through Battle district. While away he intends taking views of farms &c.

CLIPPINGS.

Wheat is rapidly growing in this district. Crops look splendid. Wheat at the uniform height of 32 inches, may be seen about 18 miles north of here. Farmers are particularly happy this year.—Moosomin Courier.

Moosomin was visited by a terrible thunderstorm on Monday night of last week. It rained in torrents with a small sprinkling of hail. The lightening was incessant, and exceedingly vivid, but withal very beautiful.

The whole business portion of the town of Ripley, Ont., was wipped out by fire on Friday of last week. It broke out in McLeod's hardware store and there being a large quantity of gun powder and coal oil stored in it it was impossible to stop it there. Twenty-three buildings were destroyed in all. The losses will aggregate $40,000, while the insurance, at most, will not reach $17,000.

Kingston, July 14.—The cattle are starving in Pittsburg, the pasture lands being dried up and vegetation impossible. Farmers have been kept busy building fences knocked down by cattle in their eagerness to get into the grain fields. It is said that at the Sheriff's sale at Enterprise some days ago cattle sold off from $2 to $4 per head.

Ottawa, July 14.—Capt G. H. Young, secretary of the rebellion losses commission, and lattarly employed in the Interior department, has been appointed inspector of customs for the sixth customs district, which embraces Manitoba and the territories, and also Port Arthur.

Port Arthur, July 13.—Clark, a brakeman at Ignace, was badly injured there to-day. He endeaovred to jump on a moving train, but fell and was considerably crushed. He was brought to the hospital here this evening and is doing fairly well.

Ottawa, July 14.—There is trouble in the St Bartholomew Anglican church congregation over the alleged introduction of the ritualism by the rector. Several of the congregation have left the church in consequence. A meeting will be held on Monday to discuss the matter. The feeling runs nigh among the low churchmen, and the rector, Rev Mr. Hannington has lost favor with a large number of his hearers.

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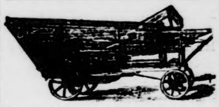

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AKI WATSON,
Horse Dealer.
Queen's Hotel, Brandon.

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CAME on to the Premises of the undersigned Sec. 34, Tp. 12, R. 19 w, Brandon County, on the 2nd inst., a bay mare with black mane and tail, wearing a leather halter. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take the animal away.

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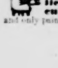

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NOTICE.

MUNICIPALITY OF ELTON,

Sale of Lands for Arrears of Taxes.

By virtue of a Warrant issued by the Reeve of the Municipality of Elton under his hand and the corporate seal of the said Municipality of Elton, bearing date the Thirteenth day of April, A.D. 1888, and to me directed, commanding me to levy upon the several parcels of land in the Municipality of Elton hereinafter described, for the arrears of Taxes respectively due thereon, together with costs

I do hereby give notice that unless the said arrears of Taxes and costs are sooner paid I shall on Friday, the Twenty Seventh (27th) day of July, A.D. 1888, at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the Council Chamber, in the Fire Hall, in the City of Brandon, proceed to sell by Public Auction the said lands for the said arrears of Taxes and costs.

Description.	Sec.	Tp.	R.	Arrears of Taxes.	Cost of Advertising, &c.	Total.	Patented or Unpatented.
				$ c.	$ c.	$ c.	
N E ¼	16	11	17	18 62	1 00	19 62	Patented.
E ½	18	11	17	41 33	1 00	42 33	N E ¼ Patented, S E ¼ Unpatented
N ½	23	11	17	225 26	1 00	226 26	Unpatented.
N E ¼	26	11	17	44 23	1 00	45 23	Patented.
N W ¼	27	11	17	97 70	1 00	98 70	Unpatented.
N E ¼	34	11	17	21 45	1 00	22 45	Patented.
N W ¼	34	11	17	10 66	1 00	11 66	Unpatented.
N ½	31	11	17	144 77	1 00	145 77	Unpatented.
N W ¼	1	11	18	130 68	1 00	131 68	Unpatented.
S ½	6	11	18	41 64	1 00	42 64	Patented [illegible]
N ½	20	11	18	120 71	1 00	121 71	Patented.
S W ¼	25	11	18	20 57	1 00	21 57	Patented.
S ½	26	11	18	50 66	1 00	51 66	Patented.
N W ¼	34	11	18	113 04	1 00	114 04	Unpatented.
N E ¼	34	11	18	77 65	1 00	78 65	Unpatented.
S E ¼	35	11	18	20 57	1 00	21 57	Patented.
N E ¼	35	11	18	20 57	1 00	21 57	Patented.
N W ¼	35	11	28	118 23	1 00	119 23	Unpatented.
N E ¼	36	11	18	102 80	1 00	103 80	Unpatented.
N E ¼	5	11	18	27 64	1 00	28 64	Unpatented.
S W ¼	35	11	18	70 68	1 00	71 68	Unpatented.
All	31	11	18	186 51	1 00	187 51	Unpatented.
W ½	10	11	19	43 55	1 00	44 55	Patented.
All	14	11	19	56 08	1 00	57 08	Patented.
E ½	16	11	19	143 84	1 00	144 84	Unpatented.
W ½	16	11	19	115 26	1 00	116 26	Unpatented.
S E ¼	18	11	19	9 28	1 00	10 28	Patented.
W ½	19	11	19	120 09	1 00	121 09	Unpatented.
E ½	19	11	19	183 67	1 00	184 67	Unpatented.
N E ¼	21	11	19	47 50	1 00	48 50	Patented.
S W ¼	21	11	19	117 74	1 00	118 74	Unpatented.
S E ¼	21	11	19	117 74	1 00	118 74	Unpatented.
N W ¼	21	11	19	93 95	1 00	94 95	Unpatented.
All	25	11	19	326 74	1 00	327 74	Unpatented.
N E ¼	26	11	19	43 67	1 00	44 67	Patented.
S ½ & N W ¼	26	11	19	46 46	1 00	47 46	
N ½	27	11	19	176 66	1 00	177 66	Unpatented.
N E ¼	30	11	19	23 77	1 00	24 77	Unpatented.
S ½	31	11	19	120 08	1 00	121 08	Unpatented.
N W ¼	31	11	19	62 64	1 00	63 64	Unpatented.
E ½	33	11	19	209 30	1 00	210 30	Unpatented.
S W ¼	35	11	19	116 53	1 00	117 53	Unpatented.
S E ¼	35	11	19	116 40	1 00	117 40	Unpatented.
W ½	7	11	19	120 10	1 00	121 10	Unpatented.
N W ¼	2	12	17	57 88	1 00	58 78	Unpatented.
N E ¼	4	12	17	14 43	1 00	15 43	Patented.
E ½	6	12	17	58 08	1 00	59 08	Unpatented.
W ½	6	12	17	74 50	1 00	75 50	Patented.
N E ¼	13	12	17	50 36	1 00	51 36	Unpatented.
W ½	19	12	17	79 33	1 00	80 33	N W ¼ Patented, S W ¼ Unpatented.
S W ¼	23	12	17	64 32	1 00	65 32	Unpatented.
N E ¼	26	12	17	71 23	1 00	72 23	Unpatented.
N E ¼	30	12	17	36 44	1 00	37 44	Unpatented.
S W ¼	34	12	17	11 59	1 00	12 59	Unpatented.
N ½	35	12	17	136 63	1 00	137 63	Unpatented.
S W ¼	35	12	17	74 12	1 00	75 12	Unpatented.
S E ¼	13	12	17	34 87	1 00	35 87	Unpatented.
E ½	19	12	17	98 99	1 00	99 99	Unpatented.
N W ¼	36	12	17	34 20	1 00	35 20	Unpatented.
	17	12	17	207 83	1 00	208 83	
N E ¼	33	12	17	49 36	1 00	50 36	Unpatented.
S ½ & N W ¼	31	12	17	72 57	1 00	73 57	Unpatented.
S ½ & N W ¼	32	12	17	91 59	1 00	92 59	Unpatented.
N E ¼	16	12	17	21 22	1 00	22 22	Unpatented.
N W ¼	23	12	17	41 12	1 00	42 12	Unpatented.
E ½ of S W ¼	3	12	18	28 97	1 00	29 97	Patented.
N W ¼	3	12	18	92 97	1 00	93 97	Unpatented.
W ½	5	12	18	96 20	1 00	97 20	Unpatented.
N E ¼	5	12	18	49 76	1 00	50 76	Unpatented.
W ½	9	12	18	159 82	1 00	160 82	Unpatented.
N E ¼	9	12	18	67 35	1 00	68 35	Unpatented.
All	13	12	18	286 18	1 00	287 18	Unpatented.
S E ¼	14	12	18	26 33	1 00	27 33	Patented.
S W ¼	14	12	18	64 60	1 00	65 60	Unpatented.
All	15	12	18	177 46	1 00	178 46	N ½ & S E ¼ Unpatented, S W ¼ Pat'd.
W ½	17	12	18	155 94	1 00	156 94	Unpatented.
W ½	20	12	18	55 11	1 00	56 11	Unpatented.
E ½	21	12	18	109 56	1 00	110 56	Unpatented.
W ½	21	12	18	145 30	1 00	146 30	Unpatented.
All	23	12	18	261 64	1 00	262 64	Unpatented.
E ½	25	12	18	158 17	1 00	159 17	Unpatented.
All	27	12	18	299 92	1 00	300 92	Unpatented.
S E ¼	31	12	18	58 74	1 00	59 74	Unpatented.
S W ¼	31	12	18	36 76	1 00	37 76	Unpatented.
N E ¼	32	12	18	54 33	1 00	55 33	Unpatented.
All	33	12	18	177 46	1 00	178 46	Unpatented.
S E ¼	34	12	18	16 43	1 00	17 43	Unpatented.
N E ¼	3	12	18	64 64	1 00	65 64	Unpatented.
N W ¼	25	12	18	24 76	1 00	25 76	Unpatented.
N ½	31	12	18	95 30	1 00	96 30	Unpatented.
All	1	12	19	257 19	1 00	258 19	Unpatented.
W ½	2	12	19	186 48	1 00	187 48	Unpatented.
N E ¼	3	12	19	47 66	1 00	48 66	Unpatented.
S W ¼	3	12	19	97 78	1 00	98 78	Unpatented.
All	4	12	19	256 98	1 00	257 98	E ½ Patented, W ½ Unpat'd.
N W ¼	6	12	19	47 97	1 00	48 97	Unpatented.
W ½	9	12	19	50 00	1 00	51 00	Unpatented.
E ½	10	12	19	138 67	1 00	139 67	N E ¼ Patented, S E ¼ Unpatented
N W ¼	12	12	19	39 09	1 00	40 09	Patented.
N E ¼	13	12	19	63 37	1 00	64 37	Patented.
N W ¼	13	12	19	58 74	1 00	59 74	Patented.
N ½	15	12	19	110 67	1 00	111 67	Unpatented.
N W ¼	19	12	19	81 46	1 00	82 46	Unpatented.
N E ¼	19	12	19	83 26	1 00	84 26	Unpatented.
N W ¼	21	12	19	86 55	1 00	87 55	Unpatented.
N W ¼	23	12	19	58 74	1 00	59 74	Unpatented.
S W ¼	23	12	19	58 74	1 00	59 74	Unpatented.
S E ¼	23	12	19	58 74	1 00	59 74	Unpatented.
N ½	25	12	19	105 89	1 00	106 89	Unpatented.
N W ¼	30	12	19	57 55	1 00	58 55	Patented.
S E ¼	30	12	19	15 61	1 00	16 61	Unpatented.
N E ¼	31	12	19	32 99	1 00	33 99	Unpatented.
E ½	7	12	19	89 46	1 00	90 46	Unpatented.
N W ¼	3	12	19	52 90	1 00	53 90	Unpatented.
All	5	12	19	159 30	1 00	160 30	Unpatented.
All	17	12	19	178 62	1 00	179 62	Unpatented.
N E ¼	23	12	19	21 98	1 00	22 98	Unpatented.

Dated at Elton this 27th day of June. A. D. 1888.

M. G. ABEY, Sec.-Treas.
Municipality of Elton, Chater, Manitoba

TOWN TOPICS.

D. & G. Cassels is the place to get good ice cream, cake, soda water, etc.

California and B. C. fruit arrive direct from [illegible] every week to G. & D. Cassels.

Mr. Winslaw has purchased the Rev. J. M. Douglas's residence on 12th street.

Capt. Woodworth sold his farm for a very [illegible] sum to a Dakota farmer this week.

Pilling's monthly sale came off yesterday. It was well attended and bidding was lively.

Upwards of 1,000 orangemen took part in the celebration at Shoal Lake on Thursday last.

A fine picket fence is being erected around the grounds in connection with the English church.

Mr. J. D. McGregor is expected to arrive to-day with a large herd of bronchos from Oregon.

The Queen's hotel has separated its bar from the pool room. This makes quite an improvement.

An insane girl passed east on the express on Friday of last week to the Selkirk asylum, she hails from Banff.

The annual picnic in connection with the Baptist church will be held at Lake Clementi on Thursday the 26th inst.

The 90th lacrosse club give a concert in the city on Monday evening. It is expected there will be a large attendance.

On Monday night lightning struck the stable of Robt. Coulter, a farmer near Morden, destroying a valuable horse.

Mr. R. Davidson, the ever obliging head clerk in the post office, has taken a position in the Dominion Land office here.

Mr. John Hanbury sold that spanking fine team of horses he used to drive around town, for six hundred dollars last week.

The work on the interior of the Beaubier is completed and its popular proprietor, Mr. Beaubier, is getting things in first class shape.

Charles Miller was almost instantly killed at Birtle the other day by being struck on the stomach with a slab while at work at the saw mill.

Mr. L. Nation's residence, near the convent, is progressing rapidly, and when completed, will add greatly to the appearance of the [illegible].

A freight train west of the depot upset a [illegible] oxen belonging to the Indians the other day. The Indians did not let the opportunity pass for having a big feed.

Mr. J. A. Christie, of this city, is getting out 40,000 logs on the Bird Tail above Birtle, and in a short time they will be sending this way to set the saw mill in operation.

The Rev A. J. Belt will lecture in Knox Hall on Tuesday evening next on the "continuity and Independence of the English church." The lecture will be illustrated by charts.

Says the Morden Monitor: Mr. H. P. Hanson's horse "Dan" scored a walk over in the "Free for all" trotting race at Langdon, Dak., on the 4th inst. 'Rah! for Morden.

The Deloraine Times says Mr. A. M. Peterson of this city went to that town to hold forth at a political meeting but as the meeting had not been advertised A.M. had his trip for his trouble.

Capt. Waite has been interviewing and being interviewed by many friends and acquaintances since his return from the east. He was home in time for the elections and put in some solid work.

Farmers to the north need not fear the trail across the agricultural farm will be closed up. It will be straightened and opened across the [illegible], but the government has no desire to impose travel.

Mr. [illegible] offers the cigars to any one who can tell him the mixture of the paint on Mr. W. A. McDonald's house. He wants to paint his like it, and is stuck for a knowledge of the mixture.

Mr. Cameron, who has been situated in the land office here, has been sent to the Calgary branch. Mr. Sutherland, who was here last summer and is now at Regina, will take his place.

Three men from the country who came in on Thursday to drink 12th of July whiskey were locked up and fined $1.00 each and costs. None of them however belonged to the order.

The grounds around our machine shops are being filled up with threshing machines and engines for repairs. This is a sure indication that as soon as the crops are taken off everything will be in readiness to made things hum.

One of the shade trees in front of the high school has been broken off. It looks as though some of those who drive in from the country to attend the Salvation Army, had tied their horses to it, and it was broken in this way.

A large addition has been added to the Brunswick hotel, which makes it look quite an imposing establishment. The bar has been removed to the new quarters, and the genial proprietor, James Guyer, has fitted it up in a very tasty manner.

Mr. Perry, now reporting on a contemporary in this city, has accepted the head mastership of the Rapid City schools. Mr. P. is an excellent fellow, and a successful teacher. Our neighboring city to the north gains by Brandon's loss.

The Rapid City Vindicator calls Mr. [illegible], one of Mr. Head's opponents, "an incompetent imbecile" and Mr. Meyers, his other opponent, "an egotistical bumbug." Brother Bailey's pen will never die for the want of adjectives.

The Conservatives of Norfolk are getting up a complimentary banquet to Dr. Gilbert, to be held at Carberry on the evening of Tuesday, the 24th inst., and certainly no man in the country is more entitled to one at the hands of his fellow citizens. He has worked early and late to advance the cause of his party, and with it the interests of his country. We hope to hear the banquet will be well attended. Tickets $1.

Mr. Bedford, manager of the Experimental Farm at this point, is now busily engaged making arrangements for the fall occupancy of the property and the commencement of general operations this fall. In a short time it will be known to whom the contract is awarded for the construction of the necessary buildings, and as soon as announced, operations on them will be commenced and pushed forward energetically to a completion.

A couple of weeks ago a family arrived in Brandon from Wingham, Ont. Before leaving their household effects were placed into the hands of the G. T. R., paying for shipment to Brandon, receiving a receipt for same. On arriving here a house was rented, as the goods arrived the following day. The owner at once went for his property, but imagine his surprise on finding that they could not be removed before freight was again paid. The Grand Trunk receipt was produced, but even that was of no avail, and his effects are at the station yet, and as the gentleman is determined not to pay a second bill of freight is awaiting the decision of the officials, who have been notified. There is no doubt that the matter will turn out all right, but it is not fair that settlers should be inconvenienced in this way, and it is time better connections were made. Years ago such things were common, but at this late day it appears greatly out of place, and if railway competition is the cause, what may we expect when there are several competing lines.

Wm. Johnston a N.W. Mounted Policeman, was captured on Monday as a deserter by Chief Duncan on a telegram. On Wednesday he was sentenced by P.M. Todd to pay a fine of $10 and a month's imprisonment.

On Tuesday last a Roman Catholic Priest from Alsace Lorraine 'France' went west to locate a colony of five townships south of Oak Lake. His coadjutors are purchasing all the properties of Protestants in the tract, so as to have it settled by Catholics wholly.

The 90th Lacrosse Club decided to leave on their western trip Sunday July 22nd. They will play Brandon Monday July 23rd; Plum Creek on Tuesday; Minnedosa on Thursday and Portage on Friday returning home on Saturday. They intend giving concerts in every town they visit.

Mr. Claridge, the defeated [illegible] of Shoal Lake, was in the city this week. He looks none the worse for the wear of the contest. He made an excellent run especially when it is taken into account the voters' lists were never revised as they did not appear from the printers until two days after the time for the entering of appeals had expired.

At a meeting held in Morden last week a committee was appointed to receive and expend the municipal levy for the purpose of fire protection in that place. It is proposed to erect the fire alarm forthwith and to take steps for the immediate erection of an engine house. This is without doubt a step in the right direction.

John Fawcett is the happy possessor of a large batch of potato bugs. He saw them for the first on Thursday. Some superstitious people will have it that comets are a sure sign of war. Be that as it may, Grit rule and the presence of potato bugs are inseparable. Canada had the bugs while McKenzie was in office and Manitoba is likely to have them under Greenway's rule.

An excursion will leave Toronto for Winnipeg on the 7th of August. The round trip will cost $28 and return tickets will be issued at Winnipeg to all parts of Manitoba at half price. It will be a splendid chance for the farmers down east to see our glorious crops ripening, and doubtless many will avail themselves of the opportunity.

The following were the delegates who attended the Baptist convention at Winnipeg this week. Rev J.H. Best, Mrs. [illegible], R. H. Vale, Mr. Fayner, Mr. Covers, Mr. Hurley, Mr. and Mrs. R. Wilson, W. F. Graham, M. Atkinson, Hon I.A. Smart and Mr. Chrissie. Hon I.A. Smart was appointed President and Rev Mr. Best corresponding sec.

A grand basket picnic will be held in Chas. J. Wagner's grove, near Aikenside P. O., on Wednesday, August 8th. A cricket match will be played between the English Rangers and Exiles. A lacrosse match will be played, as will, base ball matches, horse racing will also be on the programme. Speeches will be delivered by all the local lights on topics of the day. Dancing will be commenced early. Everybody welcome.

Brother Bailey, of Rapid City, must have the Yellow Dog fever very bad, as he mentioned the term no less than twenty four times, so our imp says, in the last issue of his paper. Will our good brother tell us the color of the canine, when he can a paper in Hilton county in support of Wandering Willie while contesting the constituency in the Liberal Conservative cause? We don't like to see dogs changing their color in jumping from [illegible].

They had quite a time of it at the School Board's meeting Monday, held in a star chamber. The principle business was salaries. The application of principal Elliot for re-appointment was rejected as was that of Mr. Lang for an advance. The services of Miss Shillinglaw were dispensed with, and Miss Lang, Miss Johnston, Miss Hall and Miss Smith were re-engaged. Miss Kerr was hired instead of Miss Shillinglaw, and Mr. Montgomery, of Carberry, as principal.

All told there are 640 acres in the agricultural farm and residences for the manager, farm hands, boarders, and stables will be erected at once. Mr Bedford, the manager has been a farmer in Manitoba for 12 years, so his personal experience should go a long way. He is now summer fallowing and will put in wheat and rye as fall crops. Already he has nine horses on the farm and will have cattle, sheep, pigs, etc. in a short time.

While rowing in the Red river at Winnipeg on Monday afternoon a boat containing Mr. Edward Wright, Government analyst, and Edward Knowlton, capsized. Mr. Wright attempted to swim ashore but became exhausted and sank. Ed. Knowlton clung to the boat and was rescued. Wright's body was found several hours after about fifty feet from where he sank. Ed. Knowlton is well known in Brandon, and will receive many a hearty hand shake when he comes home next week.

Mr. Slupe has now on exhibition at the Royal Hotel a machine knife grinder that ought to command a ready sale at the price, $10. In size it is about the same as a farmer's boring machine. After the blade is laid on a flat bed a clamp is screwed down to hold it in position, then a drop lets a triangular shaped stone that exactly fits between the teeth of the knife down, and a handle turns it as a crank does the knife of an apple pearer until the work is done. As sharp knives save men and teams a great deal of annoyance and labor this little contrivance ingeniously constructed as it is, must fall into the hands of every farmer.

City Council.

The city Council met in their chambers on Monday evening.

Present—His Worship the Mayor, Alds. T. E. Kelly, A Kelly, Russell, Coldwell, Halpin McKelvie and Paisley.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Petitions from Fred Torrance and others, and S. H. Bower and others, asking for sidewalks on 10th and 12th streets, were sent to Board of Works.

R. B. Sidebottom petitioned to be appointed poundkeeper, he having purchased Geo. Woods' enclosure. The appointment of H. Wheeldon and Geo. Woods was cancelled, and Sidebottom chosen in their stead, the Beaubier stables to be the pound.

T. Bennett, immigration agent, wrote the council, saying policeman Cobb threatened him with a fine if he did not use receptacles for all refuse from the immigration buildings, instead of the sewers put in by order of the government. Referred to the Medical Health officer.

The Attorney-General wrote the council demanding $35 collected by P. M. Todd, as provincial fines. Sent to committee.

The Finance Committee were instructed to report on a communication from J. A. Christie asking for exemption from taxes for 15 years a saw mill he is about to erect that will employ some 15 or 20 hands.

The city treasurer received $7,797 for the month of June.

A communication from C. J. Ryder re erecting a grist mill was sent to committee.

A by-law to pay $2,000 to the school board was passed.

The following applied for licenses:—Gibson & Fraser, livery; R. Powell, do.; Trotter & Trotter, do.; Maywood Bros., trucks; D. Edie, pool table; W. McKee, truck; C. Filling, pool table.

Accounts ordered to be paid:—McLachlan, $680 and John Parker $31 25 for work on 18th street; vital statistics, $25 25; Mrs. Walker, hospital, $71 50; street watering, $3 50; Firemen's pay sheet, $137; office pay sheet, $381; R. D. Richardson, $27; Times, $26 50; C. Cline, $16.

A lecture will be delivered in the Methodist church on Tuesday evening next by Miss Phelps.

Robt. Sutherland, living about 20 miles to the south was subjected to a fine of $5 and costs on Saturday by the Beak, for indecent language.

Our brass band is now in most excellent form under the leadership of Mr. Cope, and very frequently gives street entertainments that are invariably appreciated by a large number of people.

There is not a great deal doing in the market line, about 600 bushels of wheat are coming in daily and bringing 60 cents; oats are in fair demand at 28c.; butter brings 15 and eggs 12½.

LACROSSE.

The Winnipeg club beat the Plum Creek's four games to two, and the Ninetieth took four straight games at Winnipeg this week. Bed. Cobb entertained the Plum Creek's in excellent style.

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To Govern the Disposal of Mineral Lands other than Coal Lands.

1. These regulations shall be applicable to all Dominion Lands containing gold, silver, cinnabar, lead, tin, copper, petroleum, iron, or other mineral deposit of economic value, with the exception of coal.

2. Any person may explore vacant Dominion Land not appropriated or reserved by Government for other purposes, and may search therein, either by surface or subterranean prospecting for mineral deposit, with a view to obtaining under these regulations a mining location for the same, but no mining location or mining claim shall be granted until the discovery of the vein, lode or deposit of mineral or metal within the limits of the location or claim.

I.—QUARTZ CLAIM.

3. A location for mining, except for iron, on veins, lodes or ledges of quartz or other rock in place shall not exceed forty acres in area. Its surface boundaries shall be straight lines due north and south and east and west lines not more than four in number. Its length shall not be more than three times its breadth. Its boundaries beneath the surface shall be the vertical planes in which its surface boundaries lie.

4. Any person having discovered a mineral deposit may obtain a mining location therefor, under these regulations, in the following manner :—

(a) He shall mark the location on the ground by placing at each of its four corners a wooden post, not less than four inches square, driven not less than eighteen inches into the ground, and showing that length above it. If the ground be too rocky to admit of so driving the posts into it, he shall build about each of them to support it and keep it in place, a cairn or mound of stones, at least three feet in diameter at the base and eighteen inches high. On the most northeasterly post he shall mark legibly with a cutting instrument, or with colored chalk, or with a pencil his name in full, the date of such marking, and the letters M L 1, to indicate that the post is a Mining Location post No. 1. Proceeding next to the most southeasterly post, he shall mark M L 2, and with his initials. Next the most southwesterly post shall be marked M L 3, and with his initials ; and lastly the most northwesterly post with his initials and the letters M L 4. Furthermore on one of the faces of each post, which face shall in the planting thereof be turned towards the post which next follows it in the order in which they are here named and numbered, there shall be marked in figures the number of yards distance to such next following post. If means of measurement are not available, the distance to be so marked on each of the posts may be that estimated. If the corner of a location falls into a ravine, bed of a river or any other situation where the character of the locality may render the planting of a post impossible, the corner may be indicated by the erection at the nearest suitable point of a witness post, which in that case shall contain the same marks as those prescribed in this clause in regard to corner posts, as well as the letters W P, and an indication of the bearing and distance of the site of the true corner from such witness post.

(In this manner any subsequent prospector informed of these Regulations, will, on meeting any of the posts or mounds be enabled to follow them round, from one to another, and avoid encroachment, either in search or in marking out another location in the vicinity for himself.)

(b) Having so marked out on the ground the location he desires, the claimant shall within ninety days thereof file with the Local Agent, in the Dominion Land Office for the district in which the location is situate a declaration on oath according to form A in the schedule to these Regulations, which may be sworn to before the said agent, or they may have been previously sworn to before a Justice of the Peace or Commissioner, setting forth the circumstances of his discovery, and describing as nearly as may be the locality and dimensions of the claim marked out by him as aforesaid ; and shall, also with such declaration, pay to the said agent an entry fee of five dollars.

(c) The agent shall then give him a receipt according to Form B in the schedule to these regulations, for such fee. This receipt shall authorize the claimant, his legal representatives or assigns, to enter into possession of the location applied for, and, during the term of one year from its date to take therefrom and dispose of any mineral deposit contained within its boundaries.

5. At any time before the expiration of one year from the date of his obtaining the agent's receipt as aforesaid, it shall be open to the claimant to purchase the location on filing with the local agent proof that he has expended not less than five hundred dollars in actual mining operations on the same, such proof to consist of his own sworn statement, accompanied and confirmed by the affidavit of two disinterested persons, setting forth in detail the nature of such operations and the amount expended.

6. The price to be paid for a mining location shall be at the rate of five dollars per acre, cash.

7. On making the application to purchase a mining location, and paying the price therefor as hereinafter provided, the claimant shall also deposit with the agent the sum of fifty dollars, which shall be deemed payment by him to the Government for the survey of his location; and upon the receipt of the plans and field notes, and the approval thereof by the Surveyor General, a patent shall issue to the claimant in the Form D in the schedule hereto. If on account of its remoteness or other cause, a mining location cannot at the time of the deposit of fifty dollars by the applicant for the purpose, be surveyed by the Government for that sum, he shall be subject to the alternative of waiting until the employment of a surveyor by the Government on other work in the vicinity of the claim renders it convenient to have the survey made at a cost not exceeding fifty dollars, or of himself procuring at his own cost its survey by a duly commissioned surveyor of Dominion Lands under instructions from the Surveyor General ; in the latter case on receipt of the plans and field notes of the survey, and approval thereof by the Surveyor-General, as hereinbefore provided, the claimant shall be entitled to receive his patent, and to have returned to him the fifty dollars deposited by him to defray cost of survey.

8. Should the claimant or his legal representatives as aforesaid, fail to prove within one year the expenditure prescribed ; or having proved such expenditure, fail within that time to pay in full, and in cash, to the local agent the price hereinbefore fixed for such mining location, and also to pay the sum of fifty dollars hereinbefore mentioned for the survey of his location, then any right on the part of the claimant or his legal representatives to the location, or claim on his or their part to acquire it, shall lapse, and the location shall thereupon revert to the Crown, and shall be held, along with any immovable improvements thereon, for disposal under these regulations, to any other person or as the Minister of Interior may direct ; provided that the Minister of Interior may, upon sufficient cause being shown, extend the time within which the claimant may purchase his mining location for the additional term of one year upon payment by the claimant of a new entry fee and relinquishment of his original receipt in exchange for which the agent shall when so directed by the said Minister, give him a new receipt in Form C in the schedule hereto.

9. Where two or more persons lay claim to the same mining location, the right to acquire it shall be in him who can prove he was the first to discover the mineral deposit involved, and to take possession by demarcation, in the manner prescribed in these Regulations of the location covering it.

10. Priority of discovery alone shall not give the right to acquire ; but a person subsequently and independantly discovering who has complied with the other conditions prescribed in these Regulations, shall take precedence of the first discovery if the latter has failed to comply with the said other conditions. Provided however, that in any case where it is provided that a claimant has in bad faith used the prior discovery of another, and fradulently affirms that he made independent discovery and demarcation, he shall apart from any other legal consequences, have no claim, and shall forfeit the deposit made with his application, and shall absolutely be debarred from obtaining another mining location.

11. Not more than one mining location shall be granted to any individual claimant upon the same lode or vein.

12. Where land is used or occupied for milling purposes, reduction works, or other purposes incidental to mining operations, either by the proprietor of a mining location or other person, such land may be applied for and patented, either in connection with or separate from a mining location, in the manner hereinbefore provided for the application for, and the patenting of, mining locations, and may be held in addition to any such mining location ; but such additional land shall in no case exceed five acres in extent, and shall be paid for at the same rate as a milling location.

13. The Minister of the Interior may grant a location for the mining of iron not exceeding 160 acres in area. Provided, that should any person making an application purporting to be for the purpose of mining iron thus obtain, whether in good faith or fraudently, possession of a valuable mining deposit other than iron, his right in such deposit shall be restricted to the area hereinbefore prescribed for other minerals, and the rest of the location shall thereupon revert back to the Crown for such deposition as the Minister may direct.

14. When there are two or more applicants for any mining location, no one of whom is the original discoverer, or his assignee, the Minister of the Interior, if he sees fit to dispose of the location shall invite their competitive tenders, or shall put it up at public tender, or auction, as he may deem expedient.

15. An assignment of the right to purchase a mining location shall be endorsed on the back of the receipt or certificate of assignment (Forms B and E in the schedule hereto, and the execution thereof shall be attested by two disinterested witnesses ; upon the deposit of the receipt or certificate with such assignment executed and attested as herein provided, in the office of the local agent, accompanied by a registration fee of two dollars, the local agent shall give to the assignee a receipt in the Form E in the schedule hereto, which certificate shall entitle the assignee to all the rights and privileges of the original discoverer in respect of the claim assigned; and the said assignment shall be forwarded to the Minister of the Interior by the local agent, at the same time and in like manner as other returns respecting Dominion Lands, and shall be registered in the Department of the Interior ; and no assignment of the right to purchase a mining location which is not unconditional and in all respects in accordance with the provisions of this clause, and accompanied by the registration fee herein provided for, shall be recognized by the local agent or registered in the Department of the Interior.

16. If application be made under the next preceding clause by the assignee of the right to purchase a mining location, and such claim is duly recognized and registered, as hereinbefore provided, such assignee shall by complying with all the provision of clauses 5 and 7, become entitled to purchase the location for the price and on the terms prescribed in these regulations, whether or no his assignor may have previously acquired a mining location under them.

II—PLACER MINING.

17. The regulations hereinbefore laid down in respect to Quartz Mining shall be applicable to Placer Mining so far as they relate to entry fees, assignments, marking of locations, Agent's receipts, and generally where they can be applied, save that the boundaries of Placer Mining claims need not be due north and south and east and west lines, and except as otherwise herein provided.

NATURE AND SIZE OF CLAIMS.

18. The size of claims shall be as follows :

(a) For "bar diggings," a strip of land 100 feet wide at high water mark and thence extending into the river to its lowest water level.

(b) For "dry diggings," 100 feet square.

(c) "Creek and river claims" shall be 100 feet long, measured in the direction of the general course of the stream, and shall extend in width from base to base of the hill or bench on each side, but when the hills or benches are less than 100 feet apart, the claim shall be 100 feet square.

(d) "Bench claims" shall be 100 feet square.

(e) Every claim on the face of any hill, and fronting on any natural stream or ravine, shall have a frontage of 100 feet, drawn parallel to the main direction thereof, and shall be laid out as nearly as possible in the manner prescribed by Section 4 of these Regulations.

(f) If any miner or association of miners shall discover a new mine, and such discovery shall be established to the satisfaction of the agent, claims of the following size, in dry, bar, bench, creek, or hill diggings, shall be allowed :

To one discoverer...... 300 feet in length.
To a party of two......600 do
To a party of three... 800 do
To a party of four.... 1000 do

and to each member of a party beyond four in number a claim of the ordinary size only.

A new stratum of auriferous earth or gravel, situated in a locality where the claims are abandoned, shall for this purpose be deemed a new mine, although the same locality shall have been previously worked at a different level ; and dry diggings discovered in the vicinity of bar diggings shall be deemed a new mine and *vice versa*.

RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF MINERS.

19. The form of application for a grant for Placer Mining, and the grant for the same, shall be those contained in Forms F and G in the schedule hereto.

20. The entry of every holder of a grant for Placer Mining must be renewed, and his receipt relinquished and replaced, every year the entry fee being paid each time.

21. No miner shall receive a grant of more than mining claim in the same locality, but the same miner may hold any number of claims by purchase, and any number of miners may unite to work their claims in common upon such terms as they may arrange, provided such agreement be registered with the local agent.

22. Any miner or association of miners may sell, mortgage, or dispose of his or their claims, provided such disposal be registered with, and a fee of two dollars paid to the local agent, who shall thereupon give the assignee a certificate in Form H in the schedule herein.

23. Every miner shall, during the continuance of his grant, have the exclusive right of entry upon his own claim, for the miner like working thereof, and the construction of residence thereon, and shall be entitled exclusively to all the proceeds realized therefrom ; but he shall have no surface rights therein; and the local agent may grant to the holders of adjacent claims such right of entry thereon as may be absolutely necessary for the working of their claim, upon such terms as may seem reasonable.

24. Every miner shall be entitled to the use of so much of the water naturally flowing through or past his claim, and not already lawfully appropriated, as shall, in the opinion of the local agent be necessary for the due working thereof ; and shall be entitled to drain his own claim free of charge.

25. A claim shall be deemed to be abandoned and open to occupation or entry by any person when the same shall have remained unworked on working days by the grantee thereof for the space of seventy-two hours, unless sickness or other reasonable cause be shown, or unless the grantee is absent on leave.

26. A claim granted under these Regulations shall be continuously and in good faith worked, except as otherwise worked by the grantee thereof or by some person on his behalf.

27. In tunelling under hill, on the frontage of which angels occur, or which may be of an oblong or elliptical form, no party shall be allowed to tunnel from the said angels, or from either end of such hills, so as to interfere with parties tunnelling on the main frontage.

28. Tunnels and shafts shall be considered as belonging to the claim for the use of which they are constructed, and as abandoned or forfeited by the abandonment or forfeiture of the claim itself.

29. For the more convenient working of back claims on benches or slopes, the local agent may permit owners thereof to drive a tunnel through the claims fronting on any creek, ravine, or water course upon such terms as he may deem expedient.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

30. In case where water is necessary to the continuance of mining operations, and the supply of water is insufficient, the agent shall have power to grant leave of absence to the holder of the grant during such insufficience, but no longer, except by permission of the Minister of the Interior.

31. Any miner or association of miners shall be entitled to leave of absence for one year from his or their diggings upon proving to the satisfaction of the agent that he or they has or have expended on such diggings, in cash, labor or machinery, an amount of not less than $300 on each of such diggings without any return of gold or other minerals in reasonable quantities for such expenditure.

32. The time occupied by the locator of a claim in going to and returning from the office of the local agent to enter his claim or for other purposes prescribed by these Regulations, shall not be counted against him but he shall in such cases be deemed to be absent on leave.

ADMINISTRATION.

33. In cases of the death of any miner while entered as a holder of any mining claim, the provisions as to abandonments shall not apply either during his last illness or after his decease.

34. The local agent shall keep possession of the mining property to the deceased, and may cause such mining property to be duly worked, or dispensed therewith at his option, and he shall sell the property by private sale, or, after ten days notice thereof, by public auction, and out of the proceeds pay all cost and charges incurred thereby and pay the balance, if any, to the legal representatives of the deceased miner.

35. The local agent, or any person authorized by him, shall take charge of all the property of deceased miners until the issue of letters of administration.

III.—BED ROCK FLUMES.

36. It shall be lawful for any local agent, upon the application hereinafter mentioned to grant to any bed rock Flume Company, for any term not exceeding five years, exclusive rights of way through the entry upon any mining ground in his district, for the purpose of constructing, laying and maintaining bed rock flumes.

37. Three or more persons may constitute themselves into a bed-rock Flume company, and every application by them for such grant shall state the names of the applicants and the nature and extent of the privileges sought to be acquired. Ten clear days notice thereof shall be given between the months of June and November, and between the months of November and June one months notice shall be given, by affixing the same to a post planted in some conspicuous part of the ground or to the face of a rock, and a copy thereof conspicuously upon the inner walls of the Land Office of the district. Prior to such application, the ground included therein shall be marked out in the manner prescribed in subsection a of clause four of these Regulations. It shall be competent for any person to protest before the local agent within the times herein before prescribed for the notice of such application being granted. Every application for a grant shall be accompanied by a deposit of $100, which shall be returned if the application be refused, but not otherwise.

38. Every such grant shall be in writing, in the Form I given in the schedual thereto.

39. The holder of claims through which the line of the company's flume is to run may put in a bed rock flume to connect with the company's flume, upon giving the company ten day's notice in writing to that effect ; but they shall maintain the like grade, and build their flume as thoroughly, and as strong materials, as that built by such company.

40. Every Bed-rock Flume Company shall lay at least fifty feet of flume during the first year and one hundred feet annually thereafter, until completion of the flume.

41. Any miners lawfully working any claims where a bed-rock flume exists, shall be entitled to tail their success, hydraulics, and ground sluices into such flume, but so as not to obstruct the free working of such flume by rocks, stones, boulders or otherwise.

42. Upon a grant being made to any Bed-rock Flume Company, the local agent shall register the same, and the company shall pay for such registration a fee of $10. They shall also pay, in advance, an annual rent of $10 for each quarter of a mile of right of way legally held by them.

IV.—DRAINAGE OF MINES.

43. The Minister of the Interior may grant to any person, or association of persons, permission to run a drain or tunnel for drainage purposes through any occupied mining land, and may give such persons exclusive rights of way through and entry upon any mining ground for a term not exceeding five years, for the purpose of constructing a drain or drains for the drainage thereof.

44. The grantee shall compensate the owners of lands or holders of claims entered upon by him for any damage they may sustain by the construction of such tunnel or drain, and such compensation, if not agreed upon, shall be settled by the local agent and be paid before such drain or tunnel is constructed.

45. Such tunnel or drain, when constructed shall be deemed to be the property of the person or persons by whom it shall have been so constructed.

46. Every application for a grant shall state the names of the applicants the nature and extent of the proposed drain or drains the amount of toll (if any) to be charged, and the privileges sought to be acquired, and shall, save where the drain is intended only for the damage of the claim of the person constructing the same, be accompanied by a deposit of $25, which will be refunded in case the application is refused, but not otherwise. Notice of the application shall be given and protests may be made in the same manner as provided in regard to bed-rock flumes.

47. The grant of the right of way to construct drains or tunnels shall be made in the Form J in the schedule thereto. The grant shall be registered by the grantee in the office of the local agent, to whom he shall at the time pay a registration fee of $5, or, if the grant gives power to collect tolls, a fee of $10. An annual rent of $10 shall be paid in advance, by the said grantee for each quarter of a mile of right of way legally held by him, save where the drain shall be for the purpose of draining only the claim of the person constructing the same.

V.—DITCHES.

48. Minister of the Interior may, upon the application hereinafter mentioned, grant to any person, or association of persons, for any term not exceeding five years, the right to divert and use the water from any stream or take at any pareguelar part thereof, and the rights of way through and entry upon any mining ground, for the purpose of constructing ditches and flumes to convey such water ; provided always, that every such grant shall be deemed as appurtenant to the mining claim in respect of which it has been obtained, and, whenever the claim shall have been worked out or abandoned or whenever the occasion for the use of such water upon the claim shall have permanently ceased, the grant shall be at an end and determine. The grant shall record the said grant with the local agent during each year of the continuance of the same and whilst it shall be in operation.

49. Twenty days' notice of the application shall be given by affixing the same to a post planted in some conspicuous part of the ground, and a copy thereof conspicuously upon the inner walls of the Land Office for the district, and any person may protest within such twenty days but not afterwards, against such application being wholly or partially granted.

50. Every application for a grant of water, exceeding 200 inches shall be accompanied by a deposit of $25, which shall be refunded if the application is refused, but not otherwise.

51. Every such application shall state the names of the applicants, the name or description of the stream or lake to be diverted, the quantity of water to be taken, the locality for its distribution, and the price (if any) to be charged for the use of such water, and the time necessary for the completion of the ditch. The grant shall be in Form K in the schedule thereto.

52. Every grant of a water privilege on occupied creeks shall be subject to the right of such miners as shall, at the time of such grant, be working on the stream above or below the ditch head, and of any other persons lawfully using such water for any purpose whatsoever.

53. If, after the grant has been made, any miner or miners locate and *bona fide* work any mining claim below the ditch head, on any stream so diverted, he or they collectively shall be entit'ed to 40 inches of water if 200 inches be diverted, and 60 inches if 30 inches be diverted, and no more, except upon paying to the owner of the ditch and all other persons interested therein, compensation equal to the amount of damage sustained by the diversion of such extra quantity of water as may be required ; and in computing such damage, the loss sustained by any claims using water therefrom and all other reasonable losses, shall be considered.

54. No person shall be entitled to a grant of the water of any stream for the purpose of selling the water to present or future claim holders on any part of such stream. The Minister of the Interior may, however, grant such privileges as he may deem just, when such ditch is intended to work bench of hill claims fronting on such stream provided that the rights of miners then using the water so applied for be protected.

55. The Minister of the Interior may, on the report of the local agent that such action is desirable, order the enlargement or alterable, order the enlargement or alteration of any ditch, and fix the compensation (if any) to be paid by parties to be benefitted thereby.

56. Every owner of a ditch or water privilege shall take all reasonable means for utilizing the water granted to him ; and, if he wilfully take and waste any unreasonable quantity of water, the Minister of the Interior may, upon the report of the local agent if such offence be persisted in, declare all rights to the water forfeited.

57. The owner of any ditch or water privilege may distribute the water to such persons and on such terms as he may deem advisable, within the limits mentioned in his grant ; provided always that such owner shall be bound to supply water to all miners who make application therefore in a fair proportion and shall not demand more from one person than from another, except where the difficulty of supply is enhanced.

58. Any person desiring to bridge any stream, claim or other places, for any purpose or to mine under or through any ditch or flume, or to carry water through or over any land already occupied, may in proper cases do so with the written sanction of the local agent. In all such cases, the right of the party first in possession is to prevail, so as to entitle him to compensation if the same be just.

59. In measuring in any ditch or cluice, the following rules shall be observed :—The water taken into a ditch or sluice shall be measured at the ditch or sluice head. No water shall be taken into a ditch or sluice except in a trough placed horizontally at the place at which the water enters it. One inch of water shall mean half the quantity that shall pass through an ordinary two inch high by one inch wide, with a constant head of seven inches above the upper side of the surface.

60. Whenever it shall be intended, in forming or upholding any ditch to enter upon and occupy any part of a registered claim, or to dig or loosen any earth or rock within four feet of any ditch not belonging solely to the registered owner of such claim three days notice, in writing, of such intention shall be given before emerging or approaching within four feet of such other property.

61. Any person engaged in the construction of any road or work may, with the sanction of the Minister of the Interior, cross, divert or otherwise interfere with any ditch, water privilege or other mining rights whatsoever, for such period as the Ministr shall approve.

62. The Minister shall order such compensation for every such damage or interference shall be paid, and when, and to whom, and whether any and what works damaged or affected by such interference as aforesaid said be replaced by flumes or otherwise repaired by the person or persons inflicting any such damage.

63. The owner of any ditch, water privilege or mining right shall, at their own expense construct, secure and maintain all culverts necessary for the passage of waste and surperfluous water flowing through or over any such ditch, water privilege or right.

64. The owners of any ditch or water privilege shall construct and secure the same in a proper and substantial manner, and maintain the same in good repair to the satisfaction of the local agent, and so that no damage shall occure to any road or work in its vicinity from any part of the works of such ditch, water privilege or work.

65. The owners of any ditch, water privilege or right shall be liable, and shall make good in such manner as the local agent shall determine, all damages which may be occasioned by or through any parts of the works of such ditch, water privilege, or right breaking or being imperfect.

66. Nothing herein contained shall be constructed to limit the right of the Lieutenant-Governor of the Northwest Territories in Council, or of the Proper authority in any Province containing Dominion Lands, to lay out from time to time, public roads across, through, along or under any ditch, water privilege or mining right, without compensation.

VI.—GENERAL PROVISIONS.

INTERPRETATION.

67. In these Regulations the following expressions shall have the following meanings respectively, under inconsistent with the context :—

"Minister" shall mean the Minister of the Interior.

"Agent" or "Local Agent" shall mean the Agent of the Dominion Lands for the district, or other officer appointed by the Government for the pauticular purpose referred to

"Mineral" shall include all mineral whatsoever other than coal.

"Close Season" shall mean the period of the year during which placer mining is generally suspended.

"Miner" shall mean a person holding a mining location or a grant for placer mining.

"Claim" shall mean the personal right of property in a placer mine or diggings during the time for which the grant of such mine or diggings is made.

"Bar Digging" shall mean any mine over which a river extends when in its flooded state.

"Dry Digging" shall mean any mine over which a river never extends.

The mines on benches shall be known as "Bench Diggings," and shall for the purpose of defining the size of such claims be expected from "Dry Diggings."

"Streams and Ravines" shall include watercourses, whether usually containing water or not, and all rivers, creeks and galeness.

"Ditch" shall include a flume or race, or other artificial means for conducting watter by its own weight, to be used for mining purposes.

"Ditch Head" shall mean the point in a natural water course or lake where water is first taken into a ditch.

"Claimant" shall mean a person who has obtained an entry for a mining location with a view to patent.

"Placer Mining" shall mean the working of all forms of deposits excepting veins of quartz of other rock in place.

"Quartz Mining" shall mean the working of veins of quartz or other rock in place.

"Location" shall mean the land entered by or patented to any person for the purpose of quartz mining.

HEARING AND DECISION OF DISPUTES.

68. The local agent shall have power to hear and determine all disputes in regard to mining property arising within his district, subject to appeals by either parties to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands.

69. No particular forms of procedure shall be necessary, but the matter complained of must be properly expressed in writing, and a copy of the complaint shall be served on the opposite party not less than days before the hearing of the said complaint.

70. The complaint may, by leave of the local agent, be amended at any time before or during the proceedings.

71. The complainant shall, at the time of fixing his complaint, deposit therewith a bond fee of $10 which shall be returned to him if the complaint proves to have been well founded, and not otherwise, except for special cause, by direction of the Minister of the Interior.

72. In the event of the decision of the local agent being made the subject of an appeal to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands, the applicant shall at the time of lodging the appeal, deposit with the local agent a bond fee of $10, which shall be returned to the said applicant if his appeal proves to be well founded, and not otherwise except for special cause by direction of the Minister of the Interior.

73. The appeal must be in writing and must be lodged with the local agent not more than three days after he has given his decision, and must state the ground upon which the said decision it appealed from.

74. If the Commissioner of Dominion Lands decides that it is necessary to a proper decision of the matter in issue to have an investigation on the ground; or, in case of dispute of boundaries, or measurements, to employ a surveyor to measure or survey the land in question, the expense of the inspection or re measurement or re survey, as the case may be shall beborn by the illigants who shall pay into the hands of the said Commissioner, in equal parts, such sum as he may think sufficient for the same before it takes place ; otherwise it shall not proceed, and party who refuses to pay such sum shall be adjourned in default. The said Commissioner shall proportion the said expenses should by the parties respectively, and the surplus, if any, shall then be returned to the parties as he may order.

75. All bond fees adjudged as forfeited by the local agent or Commissioner, and all payments retained under the last preceeding section shall, as soon as decision has been rendered, and all entry and other fees or moneys shall, as soon as the have been received by him, be paid to the said Agent or Commissioner to the credit of the Receiver General in the same manner as other moneys received by him on account of Dominion Lands.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

76. The Agent in each district shall, under instructions from the Minister of the Interior, declare the close season in his district.

77. Each holder of a mining location or of a grant or placer mining shall be entitled to be absent from his mining location or diggings and to suspend work therein during the close season.

78. The Local Agent shall have power to grant leave of absence from the mining location or grant for placer mining pending the decision of any dispute in which he is concerned under these regulations.

79. The Minister of the Interior shall, from time to time, as he may think fit, declare the boundaries of Mineral and Mining districts, and shall cause a description of the same to be publised in the *Canada Gazette*.

80. The Minister of the Interior may direct mineral and mining locations to be laid out within such Districts, wherever from report of the District of the Geologied Survey or from other information, he has reason to believe there are mineral deposits of economic value, and may sell the same to applicants therefor, who, in his opinion, are able and intend in good faith to work the same ; or he may from time to time cause the said location to be sold by public auction or tender. Such sales shall be for cash, and at prices in no case lower than those prescribed for locations cold to original discoverers and shall otherwise subject to all the provisions of these regulations.

81. The patent for a mining or mineral location shall reserve to the Crown forever, a royalty of two and one-half per cent on the sales of the products of all mines therein.

82. Returns shall be made by the grantee sworn to by him or by his agent or other employees in charge of the mine at monthly or such intervals as may be required by the Minister of the Interior. of all produces of his mining location and of the price or amount he received for the same.

MISCELLANEOUS.

83. The local agent shall have the power to summarily order any mining work to be carried on as not interfere with or endanger the safety of the public, any public work or highway, or any mining property, mineral lands, mining claims, bed rock drains or flumes ; and any abandoned work may by his order either filed up or guarded to my satisfaction at the cost of the parties who may have constructed the same or in their absence upon such terms as he shall think fit.

84. The agent in each district, acting under instruction to be issued from time to time is sued by the Minister of the Interior, shall cause to be laid out at the expense of the person or persons applying for the same, a space of ground for deposits of leavings and deads from any tunnel claim or mining ground.

FORFEITURE.

85. In the event of the breach of these regalations of any of them by any person holding a grant or right of any description from the Crown, or from the Minister of the Interior or from any duly authorized officer of the Dominion lands, such right or grant shall be absolutely forfeited *ipsofacto* and the person so offending shall be incapable thereafter of acquiring any such right or grant unless for special cause otherwise decided by the Minister of the Interior.

SCHEDUTE TO MINING REGULATIONS.

FORM A.—APPLICATION AND AFFIDAVIT OF DISCOVERER OF QUARTZMINE.

I, A B of hereby apply under the Dominion Lands Mining Regulations, for a mining location in [here give a general description of locality] for the purpose of mining for [here name the metal or mineral] and I hereby solemnly swear :—

1. That I have discovered therein a deposit of [here name the metal or mineral]

2. That I am, to the best of my knowledge and belief the first discoverer of the said deposit.

3. That I am unaware that the land is other than vacant Dominion Land.

4. That I aid, on the day of mark out on the ground in accordance in every particular with the provisions of sub section a of clause four of the said Mining Regulations the location for which I make this application ; and that in so doing I did not encroach on any mining location previously laid out by any other person.

5. That the said mining location contains, as nearly as I could measure or estimate, an area of acres, and that the description [and sketch, if any,] of this date hereto attached signed by me, set forth in detail to the best of my knowledge and ability its position, form and dimensions.

6. That I make this application in good faith to acquire the land for the sole purpose of mining to be prosecuted by myself, or by myself and associates, or by my assigns.

Sworn before me at
this day of } [Signature]
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FORM B.—RECEIPT FOR FEE PAID BY APPLICANT FOR MINING LOCATION.

No ......

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
DOMINION LAND OFFICE.
Agency 18 .

Received from [A.B] of five dollars, being the fee required by sub section b of clause four of the Dominion Lands Mining Regulations, accompanying his application No. dated 18 , for a mining location in [insert general description of locality.]

This receipt authorizes the said (A B) his legal representatives or assigns to enter into possession of the said mining location, and, during the term of one year from the date of this receipt to take therefrom and dispose of any mineral deposit contained within its boundaries, and, on due compliance at any time within that period with the several requirements in that behalf of the said Mining Regulations, entitles him or them to purchase the said location which, provisionally and until survey thereon, may be known and described as follows : [insert description in detail.]

It is said [A B] or his legal representatives or assigns, fail to comply as aforesaid, with the conditions that would entitle him or them to purchase within one year from this date, or, having so complied do not within that time make payment in full for the land, and also pay the sum of fifty dollars prescribed in the said Regulations for the survey of the location then the right to purchase shall lapse, and the Crown to be otherwise disposed of as may be directed by the Minister of the Interior.

Agent of Dominion Lands.

FORM C.—RECEIPT FOR FEE ON EXTENSION OF TIME FOR PURCHASE OF A MINING LOCATION.

No ......

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
DOMINION LANDS OFFICE.
Agency 18

Received from A.B. of five dollars, being the fee required by clause seven of the Dominion Lands Mining Regulations, accompanying his application No dated 18 , for the extension of the time within which he may purchase the mining location described as follows : [insert description in detail] for which he obtained an entry No. on the 18 .

This receipt authorizes the said (A.B.) his legal representatives or assigns to continue in possession of the said mining location, and, during the term of one year from the 8 , to take therefrom and dispose of any mineral deposit contained within its boundaries, and on due compliance at any time within that period with the several requirements in that behalf of the said Mining Regulations, entitles him or them to purchase the said location which previously, and until survey thereof, may be known and described as above.

If the said A.B. or his legal representatives or assigns, fail to comply, as aforesaid with the conditions that would entitle him or them to purchase within one year from this date, or, having so complied, do not within that time make payment in full for the land, and also pay the sum of fifty dollars prescribed in the said Regulations for the survey of the location, then the right to purchase shall lapse, and the mining location shall revert to the Crown, to be otherwise disposed of as may be directed by the Minister of the Interior.

Agent of Dominion Lands.

FORM D—PATENT OF A MINING CLAIM.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland Queen, Defender of the Faith. To all to whom these presents shall come.

GREETING :

Know ye that we do by these presents, for us, our heirs and successors, in consideration of the fulfillment of the Dominion Lands Mining Regulations of our Dominion of Canada, give and grant unto h heirs and assigns, all that parcel or lot of land situated and numbered on the official plan or survey of the said to have and to hold the said parcel of land, and all minerals, precious and base, which may be found therein, unto the said h heirs and assigns forever :

Provided that it shall at all times be lawful for us, our heirs and successors, or for any person by our authority, to resume any portion (not exceeding one twentieth part) of the said lands for making roads, canals, bridges, towing paths or other works of public utility or convenience, but no such resumption shall be made of land on which any permanent buildings may have been erected, without compensation ;

Provided, also that it shall be lawful for any person duly authorized by us our heirs and successors to take and occupy all water privileges, and to have and enjoy such right of carrying water over, through or under any parts of the hereditament hereby granted as may be reasonably required for agricultural or other purposes in the vicinity of the said land, upon paying therefor a reasonable compensation to the aforesaid h heirs and assigns.

Provided further, that a royalty of two and one half per cent shall be paid to us our heirs and successors upon all the gold and silver produced from the said lands.

FORM E—CERTIFICATE OF THE REGISTRATION OF A MINING LOCATION.

No ......

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
DOMINION LANDS OFFICE.
Agency 18 .

This is to certify that (B.C) of has filed an assignment in due form dated 18 , and accompanied by a registration fee of two dollars of the right of (A.B) of to purchase the mining location in [here insert general description of locality] applied for by the said A.B. on the 18

This certificate entitles the said (B.C) or his legal representatives or assigns to all the rights and privileges of the said [A.B.] in respect of the claim assigned and hereinafter described : that is to say to enter into possession of the said mining location and during the term of one year from the date of the receipt No granted to the said [A.B.] dated the day of 18 , to take therefrom and dispose of any mineral deposit contained within its boundaries and on due compliance at any time within that period with the several requirements in that behalf of the said Mining Regulations entitles him or them to purchase the said location, which provisionally, and until survey thereof may be known and described as follows : [Insert description in detail.]

If the said [B.C] or his legal representatives or assigns fail to comply as aforesaid with the conditions that would entitle them to purchase within one year of the date of the receipt granted to [A.B.] and now deposited with me or having so complied, do not within that time make payment in full for the land and also pay the sum of fifty dollars prescribed in the said Regulations for the survey of the location then the right to purchase shall lapse, and the mining location shall revert to the Crown, to be otherwise disposed of as may be directed by the Minister of the Interior.

Agent of Dominion Lands.

FORM F—APPLICATION FOR GRANT FOR PLACER MINING AND AFFIDAVIT OF APPLICANT.

[A B] of hereby apply under the Dominion Lands Mining Regulations for a grant of a claim for all committing as [illegible] to in said Regulations in [here described in detail] and I solemly swear :

1. That I have discovered therein a deposit of (here name the metal or mineral)

2. That I am to the best of my knowledge and belief the first discoverer of the said deposit : or

2. That the said claim was previously granted to (here name the last grantee) but has remained unworked by the said grantee for not less than

3. That I am unaware that the land is other than vacant Dominion Land.

4. That I did on the day of , mark out on the ground in accordance in every particular with the provisions of sub section a of clause four of the said Mining Regulations, the claim for which I make this application, and that in so doing I did not encroach on any other claim or mining location previously laid out by any other person.

5. That the said claim contains, as nearly as I could measure or estimate an area of square feet and that the description (and sketch if any) of this date hereby attached, signed by me set in detail to the best of my knowledge and ability its position, form and dimensions.

6. That I make his application in good faith to acquire the claim for the sole purpose of mining to be prosecuted by myself or by myself and associates or by my assigns.

Sworn before me at
this day of } (Signature)
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FORM G.—GRANT FOR PLACER MINING.

No......

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DOMINION LANDS OFFICE,
Agency 18

In consideration of the payment of five dollars being the fee required by the provisions of the Dominion Lands Mining Regulations, clauses four and nineteen by (A.B.) of accompanying his application No. dated 18 , for a mining claim in (here insert description of locality)

The Minister of the Interior hereby grants to the said (A.B.) for the term of one year from the date hereof, exclusive right of entry on the claim (here describe in detail the claim granted) for the miner-like working thereof, and the construction of a residence hereon and the exclusive right to all the proceeds realized therefrom.

The said (A.B.) shall be entitled to the use of so much of the water naturally flowing through or past his claim, and not already lawfully appropriated as shall be necessary for the due working thereof and to drain his claim free of charge.

This grant does not convey to the said (A. B.) any surface rights in the said claim, or any right of ownership in the soil covered by the said claim : and the said grant shall lapse and be forfeited unless the claim is continuously and in good faith worked by the said (A.B) or his associates.

The rights hereby granted are those laid down in the aforesaid Mining Regulations, and no more and are subject to all the provisions of the said Regulations, Whether the same are expressed herein or not.

Agent Dominion Lands.

FORM H.—CERTIFICATE OF THE ASSIGNMENT OF A PLACER MINING CLAIM.

No

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DOMINION LANDS OFFICE,
Agency 18

This is to certify that [B.C.] of has filed an assignment in due form dated 18 , and accompanied by a registration fee of two dollars of the right to [A.B.] of of the right to mine in [insert description of claim] for one year from the 18 .

This certificate entitles the said [B.C.] to all the rights and privileges of the said A.B., in respect to the claim assigned, that is to say, to the exclusive right to entry upon the said claim to the miner-like working thereof and the construction of a residence thereon and the exclusive right to all the proceeds realized therefrom for the remaining portion of the year for which the said claim was granted to the said A.B., that is to say, until the day of 18 .

The said B.C., shall be entitled to the use of so much of the water naturally flowing through or past his claim and not already lawfully appropriated as shall be necessary for the due working thereof, and to drain his claim free of charge.

This grant does not convey to the said B.C. any surface rights in the said claim or any right of ownership in the soil covered by the said claim ; and the said grant shall lapse and be forfeited unless the claim is continuously and in good faith worked by the said B.C., or his associates.

The rights hereby granted are those laid down in the aforesaid Mining Regulations and no more and are subject to all the provisions of the said Regulations, whether the same are expressed herein or not.

Agent of Dominion Lands

FORM I.—GRANT TO A BED ROCK FLUME COMPANY.

No

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DOMINION LANDS OFFICE,
Agency 18

In consideration of the payment of a deposit of one hundred dollars required by clause forty of the Dominion Land Mining Regulations to be made with the application to a Bed Rock Flume Company and of the further sum of ten dollars being the fee for registration of his grant required by clause forty five of the said Regulations. The Minister of the Interior hereby grants to (names of members of company) forming together a Bed-rock Flume Company known as the (name of the company) the following rights and privileges that is to say :

a. The rights of way through and entry upon any new and unworked river creek, gulch or ravine and the exclusive right to locate and work a strip of ground one hundred feet wide and two hundred feet long in the bed thereof to each individual of the company.

b—The rights of way through the entry upon any river, creek, gulch or ravine, worked by miners for any period longer than two years prior to such entry and already partially abandoned and the exclusive right to stake out and work both the unworked and abandoned portions thereof, of one hundred feet in width and a quarter of a mile in length for each individual of the company.

c—The rights of way through the entry upon all claims which at the time of the notice of application are in good faith being worked for the purpose of cutting a channel and laying their flume therein with such reasonable space for constructing maintaining and repairing the flume as may be necessary.

d—The use of so much of the unappropriated water of the stream on which they may be located and of other adjacent streams as may be necessary for the use of their flumes hydraulic power and machinery to carry on their operations and the right of water for ditches and flumes to convey the necessary water to their works subject to the payment of any damage which may be done to other parties by running such a ditch or flume through or over their ground.

Provided that the rights herein granted shall apply only to such claims and streams are here specified : [insert description of claims and streams] and such other claims and streams as may after due notice and application be subsequently added to the above lists by the Minister of the Interior or under the hand of the local agent.

Provided also that the said company shall pay to the local agent in advance an annual rent of ten dollars for each quarter of a mile of right of way legally held by them.

Provided further that this grant is subject to all the provisions of the Dominion Lands Mining Regulations in that behalf whether the same are expressed herein or not.

This grant shall cease and determine at the expiration of years from the date hereof

Agent of Dominion Lands

FORM J.—GRANT FOR DRAINS.

No

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DOMINION LANDS AGENT
Agency. 18

In consideration of the payment of a deposit of twenty five dollars required by clause forty nine of the Dominion Lands Mining Regulations to be made with the application for a grant of right of way to construct drains and of the further sum of dollars being the fee for the registration of this grant required by clause fifty of the said Regulations.

The Minister of the Interior hereby grants to (name or names of grantee or grantees) the right to run a drain or tunnel for drainage purposes through the occupied mining lands here specified : here describe mining land and further for a term of from the date hereof exclusive rights of way through the entry upon the following mining grounds : here insert description for the purpose of constructing a drain or drains for the drainage thereof : and the right to charge the following tolls for the use thereof : insert tariff of tolls

Provided that the grantee shall construct such drain or drains of sufficient size to meet all requirements, within from the date hereof and keep the same in thorough working order and repair and free from all obstructions and shall within a reasonable time construct proper tap drains from or into any adjacent claim upon being requested by the owners thereof and so default thereof shall permit such parties to make themselves in which cases such parties shall only be chargeable with one half the rates of drainage tool herein authorised.

Provided also that the said grantee shall compensate the owners of lands or holders of claims entered upon by for any damage they may sustain by the construction of such tunnel or drain.

Provided further that the said grantee shall pay to the local agent in advance an annual rent of ten dollars for each quarter of a mile of right of way legally held by

Provided further that his grant is subject to all the provisions of the Dominion Lands Mining Regulations in that behalf whether the same are expressed herein or not.

Agent of Dominion Lands

FORM K.—GRANT OF RIGHT TO DIVERT WATER AND CONSTRUCT DITCHES.

No......

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DOMINION LANDS AGENT
Agency 18

In consideration of the payment of a deposit of twenty five dollars, required by clause fifty three of the Dominion Lands Mining Regulations to be made with the application for the right to divert water and construct ditches

The Minister of the Interior hereby grants to A.B. for the term of years from the date hereof the right to divert and use the water from specify stream or lake to the extent of inches and no more to be distributed as follows : describe locality of distribution together with the right to charge following rates for the use of said water. insert rates to be charged and the rights of way through and entry upon the following mining grounds insert description, for the purpose of constructing ditches and flumes to convey such water provided such ditches and flumes are constructed and in working order within from the date hereof

Provided that the grant shall be deemed to be appurtenant to mining claim No. and shall cease and determine whenever the said claim shall have been worked out or abandoned or the occasion for the use of such water upon the said claim shall have permanently ceased.

Provided also that this grant is subject to all the provisions of the Dominion Lands Mining Regulations in that behalf whether the same are expressed herein or not

Agent of Dominion Lands

PRIVY COUNCIL.

Ottawa 7th March, 1886

I hereby certify that the foregoing Regulations to govern the disposal of Dominion Mineral Lands other than Coal Lands have this day been approved by His Excellency the Governor General in Council.

JOHN J. McGEE
Clerk, Privy Council.